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Sir:

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Related to the above, this application should be associated with Customer Number 7055, which includes the present correspondence address as follows:

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The above-identified application includes:

- 93 pages of specification (including Abstract);
- 10 sheets of drawings with 11 figures;
- 79 pages of Sequence Listing;
- a Diskette containing Sequence Listing;
- an unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 47 total claims with 16 independent.

If there are any questions, please contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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